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HOPKINS MAN DIES AFTER TAKING ACID

LAWRENCE MUELLER SWALLOWS CARBOLIC ACID

LIVED ONLY 30 MINUTES

Wife and Doctor Try To Save Him From Death—Employed At Wolfers Mill

Lawrence Mueller, about 25 years old, committed suicide at his home in Hopkins by taking carbolic acid about 7:30 o'clock last night. He died about thirty minutes later.

His wife, a daughter of Albert Hall of Hopkins, was at home when the tragedy occurred. It is reported that she was not in the room when Mueller swallowed the acid, but she entered while he still had the bottle in his hand. She knocked the bottle from his hand, it is said, but he told her that he had already taken the acid.

His wife rushed to the home of a neighbor and phoned for Dr. C. W. Kirk, who came immediately to the Mueller home. He was unable to save the suicide however, and he died about 8 o'clock last night.

It is said that domestic troubles were the cause of the tragedy. Neighbors and friends of young Mueller, however, say there was no basis for the troubles.

Besides his wife, the suicide is survived by two small children, and his father and mother who live in St. Joseph.

Mueller came to Hopkins about five years ago and has lived in the town and immediate vicinity ever since that time. He has been employed at the Wolfers mill for the last two years.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral. The body will probably be shipped to St. Joseph and the rites will be held at the home of his parents there.

Probate Appointments by Judge Robertson

Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the Probate Court made two appointments this morning. They are:

George W. Hartley was appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. Flora Hartley who died September 3.

Mrs. Dora Crain, a widow, appointed administratrix of the estate of Edward Crain of Barnard who died October 15.

Muncie, Ind., Girl Missing From Home

Harve England, chief of police, has received a circular letter from the chief of police of Muncie, Ind., about a young lady being missing from her home in that city. A reward of $100 is offered. The circular states her name was Miss Marguerite Dearth, was 22 years old, height four feet and eleven inches, weight 110 pounds, light complexion, blue eyes. She is the daughter of the judge of the circuit and juvenile courts in that city.

Victorian Society Has Program This Evening

The girls' Victorian Literary Society of Maryville High School met with Mrs. Vern Manley, science teacher, this morning. The following program was given:

Reading—Mildred Wiles.

Solo—Alice Nelson.

Vocal duet—Claudia Bratcher and Opal Holt.

Piano solo—Evelyn Evans.

Kinnaird Shows Films at Quitman Theater

The motion picture films of the chinch bugs and the Baby Beef Show in St. Joseph were shown by R. A. Kinnaird, county farm bureau agent at the R. H. Smith theater in Quitman last night to a packed house. Some of the farmers in that vicinity reported to Mr. Kinnaird that the chinch bugs are prevalent in considerable numbers in that district. One man said that he had discovered large numbers of the bugs in his alfalfa field.

Mr. Kinnaird will show these two films at Gaynor tonight; at Mount Pleasant School tomorrow night; at Ravenwood Friday night. Sunday the films will be shown at Parish Hall at Conception; Elmo, Monday, November 12 and at Blackman School Thursday, November 15.

Cost of Education Small, Lamkin Says

The advantage of an education at such a small cost as compared with the amount of money the people of the United States are paying for luxuries, was emphasized by Uel W. Lamkin, president of the Northwest Missouri Teachers College, Maryville Tuesday noon before the Co-operative club in St. Joseph.

"The people of the United States are paying 1.4 per cent of the national income for education," said Mr. Lamkin. He said that one-half of the income was spent for tobacco and the same amount for candy, while an unheard of amount was being spent for motion pictures, perfumes and cosmetics.

MAYSVILLE TEAM COMES FOR GAME

TANGLES WITH LOCAL GRIDDER'S ON FIELD TOMORROW

AN UNDEFEATED TEAM

Decisively Defeated Cameron, Gallatin, Chillicothe and King City Football Aggregations this Season

The local high school football team will tangle with the eleven from the Maysville High School on the College field at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Maysville High School has one of the greatest football teams in Missouri this year. Recently they decisively defeated Cameron High School last year's champions. They have also won from Gallatin, Chillicothe and King City. They are championship contenders for 1923.

Maryville football fans will have an opportunity of seeing a real classic tomorrow afternoon. The local team has "hit its stride" and will put up a game fight against the visitors.

The dope is obviously in favor of the Maysville eleven. But dope doesn't win football games. Kansas was doped to win from Missouri last year.

The game will be called promptly at 2:30 o'clock. Season tickets will be good for admission to this game which takes the place of the one scheduled with Mound City for Friday of this week. This game was cancelled and forfeited to Maryville.

Sprong will referee the game tomorrow afternoon. The other officials are: Umpire, L. M. Eek; head linesman, W. N. Deatherage.

The Maryville High School Athletic Association is self-supporting. All expenses are met by the money collected at the various games. At no time in the history of the local school, has the school board appropriated funds for the support of athletics here It is necessary, however, for the local high school teams to have as much support as is accorded other organizations.

High School Orchestra Will Appear Monday

The Maryville High School orchestra will entertain the student body at the next regular assembly on Monday. This will be the first time the orchestra will appear before the student body this year at an assembly.

Fire Breaks Out in British Steamship

Sydney, Australia, Nov. 7—The British steamship, Korauna, reported by radio today that fire had broken out in her coal bunkers and that her position was perilous. The ship was twenty-four hours from Sydney when the trouble was reported.

Bear Cats to Warrensburg Tomorrow

Coach H. Frank Lawrence with sixteen fighting Bear Cats will leave tomorrow afternoon for the Warrensburg Mule's encampment. The squad will stay all night in Kansas City and then leave for Warrensburg early in the morning.

Both the Mules and the Bear Cats are preparing for a hard fought battle. The Mules defeated the strong William Jewell team last week but will have a battle all of the way if they win from Maryville. Several rooters are planning to accompany the team to Warrensburg.

Dr. Fred R. Keller will go to Stewartsville Saturday to deliver the Armistice day address.

COUNCILMEN PASS PAVING ORDINANCE

CALLS FOR IMPROVEMENT ON FIFTH STREET

MAYOR MAKES REPORT

Commissioners Meet In Regular Session Last Night—Collector's and Scale Report

An ordinance providing for grading, paving, curbing and guttering Fifth street from Market to Main streets was passed by the city commissioners meeting in regular session last night.

Mayor W. O. Garrett made his monthly report to the commissioners. The Mayor's report gave the totals in the various funds at the end of October out of which the bills for the month will be paid. His reports follow:

Water Department, total balance on hand, $10,299.97; street fund, $124.11; Library fund, $912.21; general fund, $3,296.43; First water bond principal fund, $7,621.98; first water bond interest, $4,095.85; Street Lighting, $1,741.78; second water bond principal, $914.03; second water bond interest, $711.35; petty cash, $20.00.

The collector's monthly report for the month of October:

General tax, $99.12; street lighting, $17.83; Library tax, $14.86; water bond tax, $37.65; water bond interest tax, $17.83; second water bond tax, $5.94; second water bond interest tax, $5.94; total to City Treasurer, $199.17.

The scale report for the month was approved by the council. It is: Two hundred and twenty-five 10 cent tickets, $22.50; four hundred and five 5 cent tickets, $22.32.

The police report given by the Mayor as Police Judge recorded $70 in fines and $11.30 costs. $50 was deposited in the general fund.

The paving ordinance which was passed last night by the commissioners for the paving on Fifth street gives plans and specifications, the following approximate of work to be done and upon which bids will be received is:

Excavations—23 cubic yards.

Paving with vitrified block paving brick with asphalt cement filler—1339.3 square yards.

Coarse sand—37.5 cubic yards.

Cement, four inches thick, composed of one part Portland cement, two parts sand, four parts gravel—1339.3 square yards.

Asphalt cement filler—8.5 tons.

The present curbing on both sides of the street in this block will be used.

The specifications as set forth in the ordinance calls for a one-inch layer of sand between the concrete and the brick paving blocks. The concrete foundation upon which the paving brick will be placed must be four inches thick; the brick when laid shall be set on edge, four inches wide, eight inches long, three and one half inches thick and not more than four inches wide, according to the ordinance.

Bids for the work are to be received up until 2 o'clock of the afternoon of November 27, at which time the bids will be opened and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder. A bond of $1,500 accompanies the contract. The work must be completed 120 days after award of the work and the city engineer is to oversee the work and see that the paving is done according to specifications. The ordinance goes into effect ten days after its passage and approval.

The report of the Maryville Free Public Library was made for the month of October, which was submitted by Miss Grace Langan, librarian. In the loan department: Juvenile books, 486; general, 1021; magazines, 115; total number of books and magazines lent, 1622. Average per day, 70. Number of readers in readings rooms, 2162. Collections: Fines, $11.73; cents fines a day, $3.46; total collections, $15.19.

Orphan Children Here on Friday

The distribution of the orphan children will take place at the First M. E. Church on Friday morning at 10 a. m. Applicants for these children must be recommended by the local committee which is composed of S. H. Kemp, Walter Mutz, T. H. Leet, C. L. Gann and L. C. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Swan of Sedalia Mo., will be in Maryville that day with a company of boys and girls under the auspices of the Children's Aid Society of New York.

Says Coburn Slaying Was Part of Plot

Dr. Fred B. Johnson Says That He, Simmons and Clarke Had Been Doomed to Die.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 7.—Dr. Fred B. Johnson, millionaire physician of San Antonio, Texas, and chief of staff of the Simmons faction of the Klan, told officials here today that the slaying of W. S. Coburn was part of a plot in which he, himself, Col. W. J. Simmons and E. Y. Clarke, were also doomed.

Three Klan officials entered the district court today and demanded that an immediate trial be held for the murderer of Coburn.

THIRTY ARE KILLED IN POLISH BATTLE

STRIKERS AND POLICE IN SEVERAL CLASHES

260 PERSONS WOUNDED

Trouble Started When Two Regiments Of Infantry Refused To Obey Commands of Officers

Warsaw, Nov. 7—Thirty persons were killed and two hundred sixty wounded in a battle between strikers and police at Cracow, according to dispatches from that city today.

Troops reinforced the police. The trouble began with battles between police and strikers in Cracow Tuesday. Strikers were armed with rifles which they had seized upon previous raids. Police attempted to rush positions held by the strikers but were unsuccessful.

Sanguine fighting resulted in which police brought machine guns into action. A brigade of cavalry was brought up to aid the police.

The trouble started when two regiments of infantry refused to obey their officers. Workmen made a rush, capturing eight machine guns and an ammunition car. Advises at noon said that Cracow was still in the hands of the strikers but negotiations were still in progress with municipal authorities. At that time, the troops were evacuating the city in order to remove provocation for further disorders.

In addition to Cracow, disorders were reported from Tarnow and Berzslov.

All of the cities, from where disorders were reported, were formerly a part of Hungary, but were awarded to Poland under the Versailles treaty.

Sheridan Gets $1 Damages in Case

Jury Reported Last Night After Being Out a Few Hours—Other Proceedings

The jury in the case of James Sheridan against Leo B. Knox for damages returned a verdict last night for $1 damages for Sheridan. The case went to the jury about 6 o'clock last evening and the jury reported about 10 o'clock. Sheridan was suing for $5,000 damages for injuries sustained in an auto collision.

The equity case of Mark J. Wooley vs. Jacob O. Dragoo, et al, is scheduled for trial tomorrow, before Judge Dawson.

The petit jurors were finally discharged yesterday as there will be no jury cases at this term. Court will be in session the rest of this week but only equity cases and motions will be considered.

Other proceedings in the court were:

State Highway Commission vs. S. H. Williams, Ernest Boyer and Grace Woods, condemnation, motion for new trial was filed by each of the defendants.

Henry Watts and Anna Watts vs. John M. Allen, et al, partition, sheriff's report of sale approved and A. F. Harvey allowed attorney fees of $563.75.

Amos Cadwell vs. Grace Cadwell Pitts, et al, partition, sheriff's report of sale approved and he was ordered to execute deed to purchaser, J. C. Walkup. McCaffrey & Cook were allowed attorney fees of $40.

Miss Elizabeth Doran, Miss Clara Heitman and Mrs. C. H. Cambron of Pueblo, Colo., motored to St. Joseph yesterday in the Doran car to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hopper left yesterday for Sidney, Ia., to visit their new grandson at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Victor Smith, and Mr. Smith.

FINALS OF COURT TOURNEY AT M. H. S.

GYMNASIUM SATURDAY NIGHT—COMPETE FOR TITLE

CUPS TO BE PRESENTED

By Leslie G. Somerville—Twelve Boys' Teams Are Eligible To Enter the Tournament

The Nodaway County indoor basketball tournament will be held in the Maryville High School gymnasium Saturday. The finals of both of the boys and girls games will be played off on Saturday night. There are twelve boys' teams over the county which are eligible to compete for the championship. They are: Skidmore, Pickering, Graham, Guilford, Hopkins, Elmo, Clearmont, Burlington Junction, Conception, Parnell, Ravenwood and Barnard. Eight girls' teams will be entered in the contest.

The drawing will take place at 7:30 o'clock on Saturday morning and games will begin at 8 o'clock. The girls and boys alternate on turns on the floor.

Cups will be presented by County Superintendent of School Leslie G. Somerville, to the winners of the boys and girls tournament and basketballs will be given to the runner-up. Last year Pickering won the boys' contest.

The preliminary games will be played off in ten minute halves, the semi-final and final games the period is extended to fifteen minute halves.

The officials of the boys' tournament are Ira Young of Guilford and Raymond Houston of Pickering. Sam Dubbin of Bedford will officiate in the girls' tournament. H. L. Raines and Townsend Godsey are timekeeper and official scorer.

The winners of both the boys and girls contest will defend the Nodaway County basketball honors in the tournament to be held at the College on the 16th and 23rd of this month.

Says Harding Forced Forbes to Resign Post

Brig.-Gen. Sawyers Tells Senate Committee Former Director Disobeyed Orders Of Late President

Washington, Nov. 7—The late President Harding forced Charles R. Forbes to resign from the directorship of the United States Veterans' Bureau because of the sales of surplus property at the Perryville, Md., depot, which Forbes continued even after Mr. Harding had ordered them stopped, Brig.-Gen. Charles E. Sawyers, former White House physician, testified today at the Senatorial inquiry.

Sawyers said that several carloads of supplies were shipped to the Thompson and Kelly Co. at Boston, with Forbes' consent, after Harding had directed their removal be shopped. The Boston firm bought three million dollars worth of supplies for $600,000.

U. S. Wright Sells Farm of 460 Acres

U. S. Wright has sold his farm of 460 acres to Sherman Pierpoint. The tract adjoins the old Fair Grounds on the east and is on the south side of the road. Mr. Wright still owns 160 acres on the north side of the road. In the deal Mr. Wright gets 280 acres one and a half miles southeast of Arkoe owned by Mr. Pierpoint. Possession will be given March 1, 1924. Both deals were made by A. J. Cox.

Men Thrown From Car But Not Injured

Rex Dicken and Reed Noblet of Graham were thrown out of a Ford car this morning near the George N. McNeill home near Graham when their car hit a rut approaching a bridge, causing the car to run into a fence and throwing the men into a ditch about sixteen feet deep. There were no banisters on the bridge. The men were not injured. The car was damaged some.

Bureau of Mines Starts Investigation

Washington, Nov. 7—The U. S. Bureau of Mines today ordered an investigation of the disaster in the Glen Rogers mine of the Raleigh, Wyo., Co. in West Virginia where an explosion yesterday took a toll of twenty-seven lives. The investigation will be made by the bureau's chief mining engineer who left Washington today to start the inquiry.

No Irregularities in Accounts of Cashier

Bank Examiner Says Books Are All Right At Webb City Bank—Cashier Mysteriously Slain

Webb City, Mo., Nov. 7—Preliminary examination of the accounts of B. F. Ball, 40-year-old cashier of the Merchants and Miners Bank of this city by a state bank examiner today, showed no irregularities.

Ball was found dead last night near here.

There were two theories regarding hi sdeath. One is that he was slain by enemies or robbers, and another that he took his own life.

Ball was shot through the head but there were no powder marks to indicate that a weapon had been fired close to his head.

BOTH PARTIES FIND JOY OVER RESULTS

REPUBLICANS ELECT SENATOR IN VERMONT CONTEST

DEMOCRATS SUCCESSFUL

Elect Governors In Kentucky, Maryland and Mississippi—C. O. P. Gains House Seat

Washington, Nov. 7—Both parties found solace today in the results of yesterday's off-year elections in a dozen states.

The Republicans were pleased because they won the only Senatorial seat at stake, in the election in Vermont where P. T. Dale, Republican, was elected over his Democratic opponent who is a cousin of President Coolidge. They were also jubilant over the gain of one seat in the House from the twenty-four New York districts.

The Democrats likewise appeared happy that Democratic candidates were successful in all three gubernatorial contests in Kentucky, Maryland and Mississippi and in the retention of seven seats in the House of Representatives of the ten at stake yesterday.

Chamber Approves New Road Program

Directors Urge Special Session of the Legislature to Provide for Maintenance.

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce is in favor of a special session of the legislature to speed up the state highway construction program as suggested by the state highway commission.

The board has adopted a resolution indorsing a resolution passed at a recent meeting of a special committee of representatives of automobile clubs in the state, which met at Jefferson City, asking the governor to call a special session.

In order to carry out the program of road construction for 1924 and 1925 and continue the maintenance of the state highway system without levying a property tax, a special session of the legislature is needed to increase the licenses on motor cars. The revenue derived from this source is used for maintenance of the state highway system. To secure federal aid in connection with the road building program, additional maintenance must be secured for the roads constructed for the government can not allow funds unless maintenance is provided. The revenue now derived from the motor car licenses in the state is sufficient for this purpose under the program proposed. It will not permit the sale of bonds in 1924 and 1925 in sufficient amounts to carry on road construction and at the same time secure federal aid.

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce believes it to be to the best interests of all the people of the state, including the business interests, to have the highway system completed as soon and as rapidly and as economically as possible.

The highway commission maintains that if it can keep together its present working organization and go ahead with the road construction, it will be more economical to the state. Otherwise, the forces will have to be disorganized and reorganized when it is able to start construtetion again.

Announce Birth of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McPherron of Stanberry announce the birth of a son Monday, to whom they have given the name Lewis Albert. Mrs. McPherron was Miss Sarah Ellen Tarpley.

GOVERNOR WALTON SAYS "NOT GUILTY"

GENERAL PLEA OF DENIAL IS ENTERED THIS AFTERNOON

SEEKING INJUNCTION

Attorneys Go Before Judge John H. Cotteral Asserting That Conspiracy Exists In Trial

Oklahoma City, Nov. 7—A general plea of "not guilty" to the twenty-two charges of impeachment preferred against him by the Oklahoma House of Representatives, was entered in the Oklahoma Senate this afternoon by Governor J. C. Walton.

Admitting certain details of the charges, Governor Walton declared he had committed no impeachable action, and in a document covering more than 125 typewrittenpages, he sought to explain all charges preferred by the House of Representatives.

The suspended Governor was not present. He was represented by an attorney. The heads of the Walton legal staff and some officials of the prosecution were in Lawton, Okla. today where Governor Walton is seeking a federal court injunction to prevent the impeachment trial.

Lawton, Okla., Nov. 7—An imposing legal battle loomed this afternoon as attorneys for Governor J. C. Walton prepared to go before John H. Cotteral, federal judge, asking an injunction to restrain the Oklahoma Senate, acting Governor Trapp, and the Ku Klux Klan from proceeding further with his impeachment trial.

F. E. Riddle, chief counsel for Governor Walton, and H. B. Martin and W. K. Snyder, other defense attorneys, were preparing their case to present to the federal judge.

Governor Walton will not be present at the hearing, according to Riddle.

A sweeping injunction against proceedings with the impeachment trial is being asked by the Governor on the grounds that a conspiracy exists between members of the Legislature and the Ku Klux Klan.

Oklahoma City, Nov. 7.—The Senate adopted a resolution today ordering Attorney-General Short to proceed with the prosecution of persons alleged to have violated the law in the October 2 election. The resolution had previously been adopted by the Oklahoma House of Representatives.

Election irregularities existed in six counties, it was stated in the resolution.

D.-F. to Get Detailed Report Mo.-Okla. Game

Play-by-Play Account Of Homecoming Struggle At Columbia Saturday Will Be Broadcast

The Missouri-Oklahoma game Saturday afternoon at Columbia will be broadcast play-by-play and will be received by the Democrat-Forum through the courtesy of Harry C. Todd of the Hanamo Telephone Co.

A microphone on Rillins field in Columbia which was tried out in the Nebraska game has proved entirely satisfactory, and the home coming mass meeting and football game will be broadcast by the state wireless station at Jefferson City, WOS, which will be connected with the field microphone.

Other football results Saturday will be received by The Democrat-Forum.

Warranty Deeds

The following warranty deeds were recorded today:

Emily Mader to Gottleib Mader, a tract of land of southeast one-fourth of southeast quarter, section 13, township 62, range 35, containing 5 acres; also all south half of southeast of southeast one-fourth of section 13, township 62, range 35, 6 acres. Consideration $700.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hammond of Skidmore spent yesterday in Maryville with the former's cousin, F. E. James and family. Mr. and Mrs. Hammond expect to leave Friday to spend a year in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Clark of Blanchard, Ia., transacted business in Maryville today.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; little change in temperature; lowest tonight about 36.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Bible Thought for Today

LAW OF LOVE.—Love worketh no ill to his neighbour; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.—Romans 13:10.

DEEDS BETTER THAN WORDS.

William Allen White says he likes President Coolidge, but regrets that he has seemed to "shrink from the natural limelight which ordinarily falls upon a man in the Presidential office" and, in consequence, he "still remains to the mass of the people an unknown quantity." What Mr. Coolidge "needs as President," says Mr. White, "is some one to dramatize him; to get him across to the folks, so that he can make them understand him, follow him and fight for his ideals."

Presumably the Kansas editor means that the President ought to let himself be "dramatized" by a good publicity agent who will quote him every day in the newspapers yet bind him to nothing, or possibly he thinks that the President ought to "dramatize" himself after the manner of other officials, who come forward impressively almost every day with proclamations of what they are going to do and never do.

However that may be, it is worth while to remember that a public official is judged by what he accomplishes not by a "continuous" stream of talk. Even a critical organ of the opposition has remarked that " a President who preserves almost the silence of a Trappist monk is necessarily judged by his acts." Talk is soon forgotten; acts whether good or bad, are long remembered. A President does not need to do a "turn" before the public every day; he can "get across" with few words if he is wise in selecting men and adopting policies, reveals courage as well as good judgment, acts only after mature deliberation and then does not waver.

CALIFORNIA'S PRIMACY.

The remains of the "Santa Barbara man" discovered in California by experts of the Smithsonian Institution will, according to report, revolutionize previous theories and fix the beginning of human life in a much earlier period of the world's history. The Neanderthal man of Europe, hitherto supposed to be the most ancient specimen, now becomes almost modern by comparison. Moreover, the Santa Barbara man, it is said, indicates clearly that the civilization he represented was far superior to that of the Neanderthal period.

This is revolutionary certainly, for, quite apart from the Biblical account supposedly fixing Asia Minor as the birthplace of man, the scientists have held that the Old World was peopled long before the New. If all that is said about the Santa Barbara man shall be established as facts we shall have proof not only that America or California was inhabited first but that American or Californian artistocracy is much older than that of Europe.

And yet the Santa Barbara man could hardly have been a very highly developed, refined or esthetic creature, for it is stated that he had no forehead, that his skull was three quarters of an inch thick, and that his opened mouth formed a circular space seven inches in diameter. It must have been rather startling to Hiram Johnson, to learn that this oldest Californian "possessed a mouth larger than that of any man of ancient or modern times," but doubtless Californians in general have taken unreserved pride in this proof that their state is first even as the last of the most ancient men.

California, by the way, has already furnished the Darwinists much prized evidence in favor of their theory in the form of a legend of one of the Indian tribes of that region who traced their descent from a pack of wolves that "sat on their tails until they wore them off."

Nothing helps to make a home so much like a paradise as old books and new babies. Most of the world is now neglecting both.

Even a dictator may find time to take an interest in needed reforms. The new one in Spain has decreed that hereafter all government employees will have to do some work or lose their jobs.

Elbert Hubbard once said, "That the only man who should not advertise is the man who has nothing to offer the world in the way of commodity or service." And that statement is as true today as when he made it.

Small fortunes may still be picked up. The news comes from Southhampton, L. I., that a man gathering driftwood on the bay shore there found a shinning pebble which, on examination by a jeweler, was pronounced a white diamond worth $3,000.

At the present rate of typewriter progress, writing with a pen will have practically disappeared in fifty years. By that time every man and woman and maybe every boy and girl will be carrying around some sort of a portable typewriter and the art of penmanship will be as scarce as diamond mines in Missouri. There is one compensating thought however. The typewriter emphasizes bad spelling and perhaps this almost lost art will again come into its own with the increase of the printed page.

Hickory Grove

Sam Hutchison put up a new wind mill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weir visited James Lowrance Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Linville visited James Marcus Sunday afternoon.

The agriculture class of Hickory Grove are working problems.

Ray Marcus began to shuck corn Monday morning.

Miss Maxine Kaufman came home from the St. Joseph Hospital last week.

The men of the Hickory Grove district are beginning to shuck corn.

The Nature Study class are keeping a bird migration record.

The geography class is taking up the U. S. possessions.

Mrs. M. Lowrance visited A. A. Neuffer and Mrs. Ted Wright Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herron and two daughters, Beulah Roberta and Audrey Wynett of Graham spent Sunday with Mrs. Herron's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Croy of Maryville. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Croy and two daughters, Virginia and Frances of St. Joseph.

We have a new basketball. We want to be playing in a few days.

We have accomplished one quarter's work and started more faithfully than ever.

We are going to make a fly poster in our agriculture class.

Mrs. Henry Mires of Skidmore is ill. The guests that were there Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Gaddy and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Mires, Sam Mires, Dan Mires, Sam Mires, Charley Mires, Carrie Mires and George Bosley.

The seventh grade is studying about King Aurther and his knights in reading.

Wilber Mires visited Mr. and Mrs. George Gaddy and children Saturday evening.

Mr. Mrs. George Gaddy visited Mrs. Henry Mires Saturday.

Louise Lowrance visited Misses Lura and Florance Gaddy Sunday.

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3 lb cotton batt, all stitched, opens up into one large sheet 72x90 inches, each batt now only.. $1.00

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Excellent quality outing flannel, 36 inches wide, in either dark or light colors, a real bargain now at per yard only 22c

PERCALE
Percales, full 36 inches wide, excellent quality, large range of both dark and light colors, now only at per yard 17c

ALL LINEN CRASH
An excellent quality in unbleached all linen crash toweling now per yard only 19c

TABLE DAMASK
64 inch fine mercerized table damask with four inch colored border in pink, blue or gold, now per yard only 79c

TABLE DAMASK
Excellent quality in plain pure white mercerized table damask, 64 inches wide, now only per yard 49c

ALL WOOL SERGE
36 inch all wool Storm Serge in all the wanted colors, plenty of navy, blue, brown, etc., only per yard 89c

SWEATERS
Buy a new sweater during these three days and save money. Your choice of any sweater in our store now at 20 per cent off.

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There is no better bleached muslin on the market for general use than our famous Daisy Brand, now per yard only 17c

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Here is a real bargain in ladies' jersey mercerized cotton bloomers, elastic waist and knee, all colors only, per pair $1.00

DRESSES
We are offering two very exceptional bargains in dresses now. One lot of dresses sold up to $15.00 now only $9.75

One very special assortment of dresses in both wool and silk, worth up to $49.75, now only $37.75

SCHOOL STOCKINGS
Here is a bargain in a regular 50c value in school stockings in either black or brown. Linen heels and toes, double knee, the kind that will stand wear, per pair now only 39c

DRESS GINGHAM
32 inch Zephyr dress gingham, the kind that is sun and tub proof, a large range of Fall patterns now, per yard only 23c

BOMBAY CAMBRIC
This is a very handsome cambric cloth in a beautiful range of patterns, it makes wonderful school dresses, aprons, house dresses, etc., regular 40c value, now only per yard 29c

SILK AND WOOL UNIONSUITS
Here is a real bargain in ladies' silk and wool unionsuits in the famous Athena brand in most any shape garments that you can desire, regular size now per suit.... $3.00
Extra size per suit $3.50.

CANTON CREPE
The very finest quality of all silk canton crepe, 40 inches wide in any color that you can desire, very special for these three days selling at per yard only..... $3.00

CLOAKS
Buy a new cloak now. Every cloak in our store shows a very substantial reduction in price.

WOOLNAP BLANKETS
72x82 inch, the very best quality of woolnap blankets beautiful range of blankets, silk bound, it is impossible to buy a better woolnap blanket than this one, now only per pair $4.95

ALL WOOL BLANKETS
Here is a real bargain in an wool blanket, 70x80 inches in size, in gray or blue plaids, now only per pair $7.75

COTTON BLANKETS
A real good plain color, double cotton blanket, 64x80 inches in size now only per pair $2.17

SILK HOSE
An excellent quality of ladies' pure thread silk hose in all the new fall colors. This hose cannot be beat for fit and wear, at at per pair only $1.00

54 INCH FRENCH SERGE
It is absolutely impossible to buy a better serge than this one in navy, black and brown, full 54 inches wide, the very finest quality French serge only per yard $2.50

APRON CHECK GINGHAM
The very best quality apron check gingham on the market now per yard only 15c

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The Biggest Little Store in the United States

Should We Limit The Presidency To One Term?

Samuel Adams, Director General, Uncle Sam's Voters, Washington, D. C.

The enormous work required of a President and the possibility of the succession of a Vice-President, has made the question of the term of the Presidency one of vital interest to the American people. The suggestion has been met that the Constitution be amended to limit the Presidency to one term.

YES

1. A long term of office tends to create bureaucracy and autocracy. With the increasing complexity and range of government activities, the office of President of the United States is the most important public office in the world. Our nation is now the great creditor nation of the world it probably will remain so for many years. Human nature remains pretty constant, and a long term of office, particularly a succession to office, tends to create a feeling that the individual officeholder is superior to the common run of people and to create in him tendencies toward autocracy, and to establish a bureauracy.

2. Increased national expenditures and larger patronage make possible a dangerous political machine. The expenditures of the Federal Government are approximately four times as large as when the World War broke out. The creation of new bureaus, agencies and departments during the war has greatly increased the number of Federal employees. It is perfectly natural for any President to wish to succeed himself. It is equally certain that a great many people will want to succeed him and that he will have vigorous competition for his office. Therefore, a President gives considerable of his time to building up a personal machine which will enable him to secure enough delegates to his party's nominating convention to capture the nomination; also to work in Presidential primaries along the same line.

3. One term for Presidency would tend to limit Presidential activities. The function of a President is to be an executive and not an autocrat, nor the leader of his party and dictator of its policies. There has been a marked tendency in recent years in both major parties for the President to assume vast powers of initiating measures. This is not a safe policy in a democracy. An effective method of limiting the President's powers to execute his party's policies and to limiting his activities to those prescribed in the Constitution of the United States is to limit his tenure of office to one term.

4. A one-term Presidency would necessitate a number of trained undersecretaries and assistants. Most of the business of the government is routine. It is essential, in order that this business be efficiently done, that men who are efficient and capable and honest should remain in office for as long a time as possible. Limiting the President to one short term will make it necessary for our nation to adopt the British system of undersecretaries and assistants who are trained and capable of maintaining the routine work and securing continuity of policy.

5. One term for the Presidency will be a blow to the spoils system. A new President and administration naturally seeks to place in office those who will render the most efficient service and to root out old-timers who, through personal pull, might remain in an office during a two-term Presidency.

6. It would compel the party of the president to render maximum service to the people promptly. Limiting the term of the Presidency to one term will compel the President to exercise his very great influence to secure prompt action, so far as executive matters are concerned, in order that his party may make a good record during his one term, as a basis of appeal to the electorate to elect a successor from the same party.

7. It will make easier immediate reversals of policy. No man, before he assumes the office of President, can thoroughly understand all the issues which he will have to meet and determine during his tenure of office. Most Presidents come into office with a very definite program in mind and have committed themselves publicly to this program, and naturally, they do not like to reverse themselves or change their policy from that announced when campaigning for the office of President. Such changes are, however, often necessary and limiting the Presidency to one term will make it easier to secure reversals or changes of policy to confirm to the changing conditions of the nation and the world.

8. The strain of the Presidency is too great. Mr. Wilson broke down in office, and Mr. Harding died in office. The work is constantly increasing. As a measure of safety to the incumbent, the work ought to be limited to one term. This also would relieve the President of a great deal of political worry.

NO

1. A four-year term is not long enough to permit carrying out a policy. The American Government is the greatest business corporation on earth. It spends more money than any other government or than any business corporation and should use business methods. Business methods require a continuity of policy and a continuity of executive direction, if that direction is satisfactory. It should not be limited to a specified number of years.

2. The voters should not be deprived of their right to select and elect any President. The limitation of the Presidency to one term would take away from the voters the right of selecting and re-electing a President if he has been satisfactory. Presidential primaries or the direct election of the President, or both, would be a much more democratic and effective way to secure public service and devotion to the public welfare by a President, than limiting a President to one term.

3. Better control over a President and not more frequent changes in the Presidency is the right way to prevent Presidential usurpation of powers. Usurpation of powers belonging to the Congress by the President, could not be prevented by merely preventing his reelection. If the President wants to be autocratic or bureaucratic he can become this in a four or six year term, as well as in two terms of fours years each. The solution is to establish better control over a President and particularly to limit his powers by legislation and constitutional amendment, so that, for instance, he cannot take action on foreign relations which leads up to war and practically enables him to force Congress to declare war.

4. The American people are too changeable. Limitation to one term would give unscrupulous interests power completely to discredit a Presidency undeservedly, while success of two terms would enable the President to justify his action and policy by actual results.

5. A fixed term of years for the Presidency is undesirable. An indefinite term, during good behavior and efficiency, would secure independence and independent action by a President. The adoption of a constitutional amendment, limiting the Presidency to one term, would make it harder to secure an amendment to permit the President to remain in office while rendering satisfactory service.

6. Continuity of foreign policy would be hampered by limiting the Presidency to one term. Whatever the nation's wishes may be, the importance of our foreign relations is continuously increasing and will increase even more in the future. The personal element is an enormously important factor in foreign relations. Queen Victoria and King Edward were able to foster the development of Great Britain and to increase her power very markedly through their wide acquaintance with foreign diplomats and their personal contacts with foreign peoples. Limiting the Presidency to four years would deprive the President of the opportunity to give this great service to the American people.

7. Such limitation of the Presidency would be most disturbing to legitimate business interests. Presidential elections at best are upsetting. When a President, however, has rendered fair service to the people and the nation is in a fairly prosperous condition, the probabilities are that he will be renominated and reelected, and will continue his policies toward the business interests of the nation, or at least not make any sudden change.

2 TABLETS Every 3 Hours
BREAKS THAT COLD
Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine will break your cold in one day. Taken promptly it prevents colds, la grippe and pneumonia. Demand red box bearing Mr. Hill's portrait. All druggists. Price 30c.
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"The coffee that Griff makes," that's the talk of the people who dine at the Merchant's Cafe.
Club breakfasts a Specialty.
A big Sunday Dinner 35c.
MERCANTS CAFE
211 N. Main St.
P. N. Griffin, Prop.
Just across from Haines'.

'Tis Time to Think of Christmas

Nothing else you can give will render the pleasure that Christmas Greeting Cards will.

Christmas is swiftly approaching, and the wise person, realizing that engraved Greeting Cards are a product of time and skill, will arrange to place his order very soon.

All orders for special engraving must be placed before November 26. We cannot accept these special orders after this date because it is impossible to get the work out in time for Christmas. We will endeavor to fill throughout the month of December all orders calling for cards as sampled.

The DEMOCRAT-FORUM

THE VALUE OF SAVING

"Save surely, steadily and wisely, so as to be able to spend judiciously in a time of need which will probably be greater than that of the present."

We welcome new accounts of One Dollar or more. We have a Bank Book waiting for you.

Oldest bank in the county. More than fifty years of service. Liberty Bonds bought and sold.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

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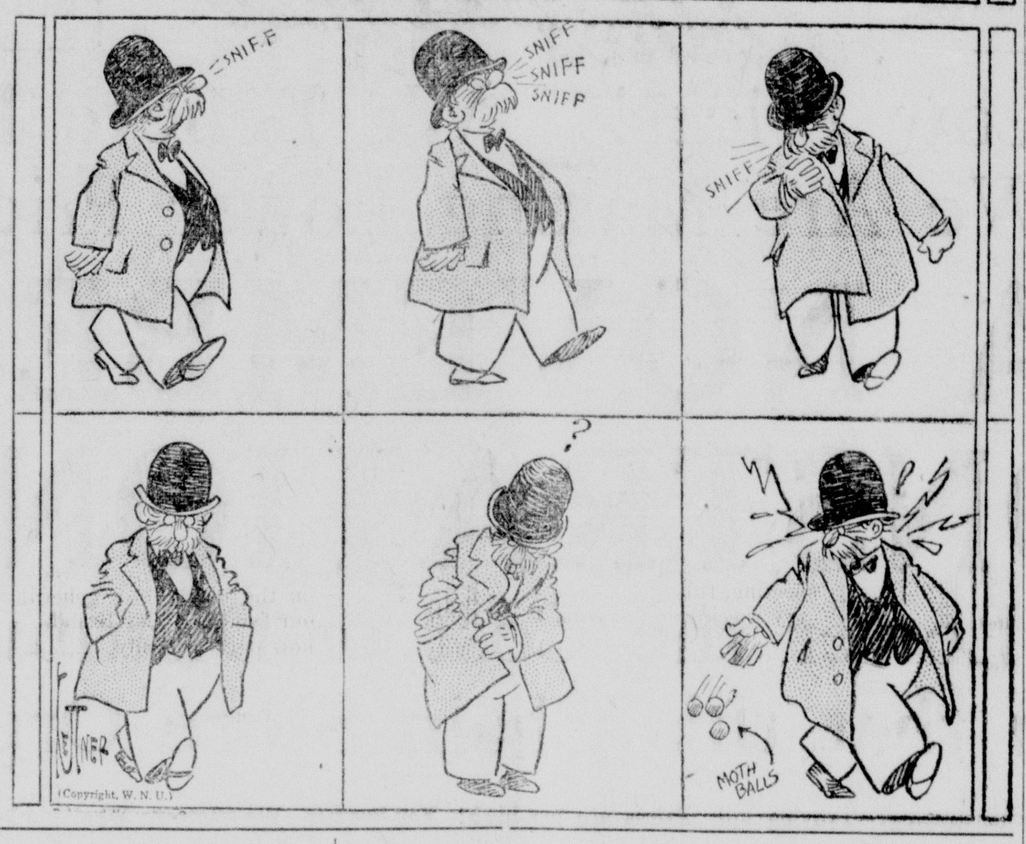
Maryville, Mo.

Our Pet Peeve



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OLD DEPENDABILITY

Comfortable and attractive beyond your expectations, it is also eminently gratifying to know that Dodge Brothers New Closed Cars retain their fundamental identity—a chassis and engine matured and perfected through nine years of brilliant mechanical evolution.

Business Sedan $1250 f. o. b. Detroit—$1385 delivered.

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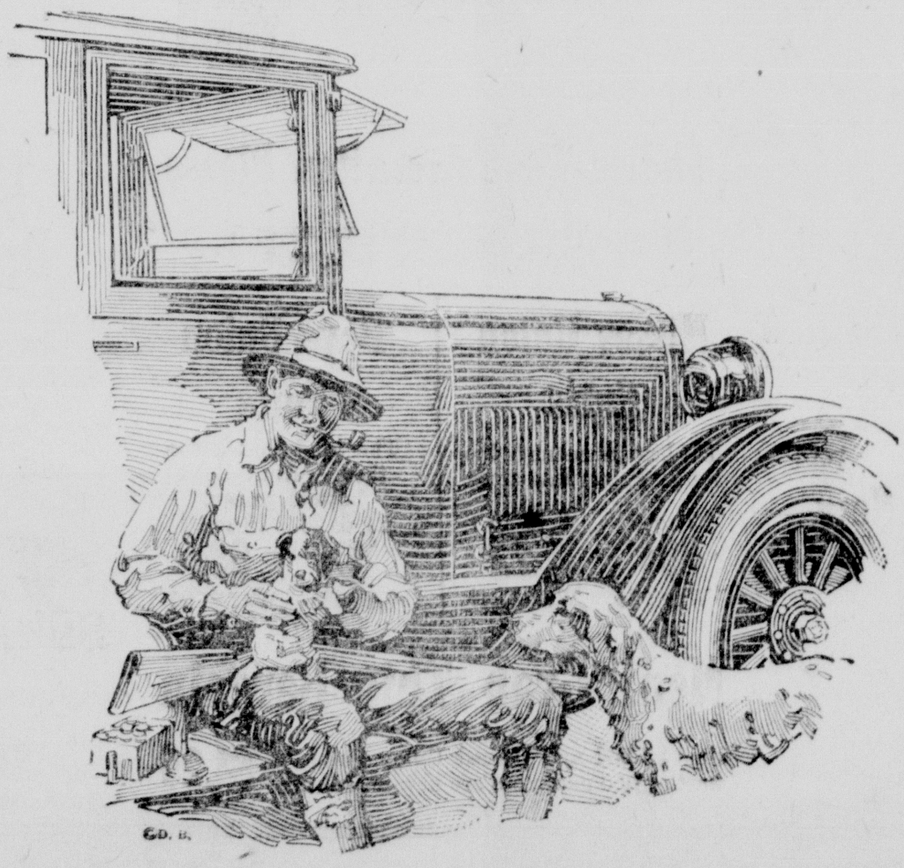


Conception College Notes

The Halloween entertainment arranged by the Booster Club for the evening of Oct. 31st was a grand success. The stage and auditorium were decorated and lighter in such a way as to give the usual spooky feeling All the students co-operated in making the evening an enjoyable one. In the program were vaudville acts, songs and music. The feature number was a short act staged by five juniors from Fr. Flanagan's Home. Five pounds of candy were awarded these boys as prize for the best number. Thomas Crowell was wirner in the cracker contest. Thomas Sherlock showed that he had not forgotten the rubber entirely by winning a pair of shoes in the milk drinking contest.

A number of seniors walked to Conception Junction Saturday afternoon.

Frances Parle, our noted trap drummer of last year, accompanied by the Dauphin Brothers of Maryville, visited a short time here Sunday afternoon.

Eugene King, who is to spend the winter in Texas for the benefit of his health, bid farewell to his friends at the College Sunday.

The Art Class from the Maryville College were shown through the Abbey Church and the College Saturday.

Francis Graham and Thomas Sherlock enjoyed a chicken dinner with home folks Sunday.

Another new stundent arrived Sunday who will help swell the Agriculture Class.

Plum Grove Items

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Maxwell were visitors at Wilcox Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Townsend and son Darvin were Sunday visitors at Snivles.

Miss Leona Cox spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hensley visited Mr. Virgil Morhouse's Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Cheshire and sisters Loah and Gwedolyn, spent Sunday at Mr. Wayne Whitmore's of Coin, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Cox and family were Sunday visitors at Charley Maxwell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Thompson and family were Sunday visitors at Henry Thompson's.

Mr. Basil Farquhar visited Mr. Elmer Jackson Saturday and Sunday.

Lloyd Thompson and Newmen Thompson were Sunday visitors at Lee Ingram's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brand and son Harlan were Sunday visitors at Frank Brand's.

Mrs. Andrew Chesnut and Mrs. Sidney Waldroff visited York Town over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arie Chesnut and son, Robert visited her sister, Mrs. Byron Moffit Sunday.

Mrs. Eta Booze is having Clark Graybill to dig her a cistern.

Mr. Joseph S. Atteberry come to stay with Mrs. Eta Booze.

Mr. Somerville our county superintendent, visited our school Monday morning. He compliment-d us on the work we have done this year. We intend to keep it up.

Liberty
(Southeast of Skidmore)

Hurrah for the Skidmore school fair! We enjoyed it very much. It was a real success and our only wish is that next year it will be made a larger and still better fair than this year. The pupils won twenty prize ribbons in addition to the blue ribbons that were won on the booth and farm product display.

The patrons, pupils and teacher, G. O. Riley showed much interest in the school fair.

Charley Teson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teson of Clyde spent Sunday at the J. L. Teson home.

J. L. Teson made a business trip to Kansas City the fore part of this week. Miss Marie Logan spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Logan.

Claud Sewell and daughter, Alice, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the J. L. Teson home.

Mrs. Henry Rowlett and children were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Howkins of Maryville.

Mr and Mrs. Geo. Kenny were Sunday visitors of Dick Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Shull were Sunday visitors of Tom Parson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bird were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bostwick of St. Joseph.

Missouri's Wheat Standing.

Missouri in 1920 as 5th among the 48 states grew more bushels of wheat than the combined yield of 17 other states—Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Delaware, Georgie, Minnesota, Montana, Mississippi, Nevada, New Jersey, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming. Missouri is in 1923 at least temporarily "The Third Wheat State." In fact, Missouri has been planting too much wheat, the State Board of Agriculture advising reduction of wheat acreage.

Nothing was ever gained arguing

TRY SULPHUR ON AN ECZEMA SKIN

Costs Little and Overcomes Trouble Almost Over Night

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying Mentho-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment without delay. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

MEN! HERE'S YOUR CHANCE

Very cheap Worth more.

Heavy Mixed Work Sox at **12c** Pair

Plenty of them. Buy what you need now.

GRAHAMS

Dept. Store - "All Sorts of Things"

EVERY LADIES' HAT IS GOING

We need the space. Every hat included.

To Be Sold During This Sale **1/2 PRICE**

Hats worth $4.98 at $2.49. Get yours.

You Want Low Prices! We Believe In Low Prices
So We Are Making Lower Prices In
A NOVEMBER DEMONSTRATION SALE
to Lower the Cost of Distribution
Proving to You that this Chain Store Organization Means

Heavy Weight Outing Flannel

Drops From 19c a Yard to

It is 27 inches wide, Excellent Patterns **15c** Lights and Darks are Both Included.

Demonstrating! Proving up! Prices are too high! You know it. We know it. What's to be done about it? Throughout the year this chain of 22 busy stores has fought the higher price tendency, determined to sell goods at lower prices. Buying in large quantities, selling for cash—these, combined with the many other economies of chain store operation, have enabled us to sell goods this Fall at prices generally lower than the average.

This Nashua Woolnap Blanket

Was Cheap at $4.48
Now Down to

This size is 60x80 inches. **$3.98** Beautiful plaids, Warmth without weight.

This Blanket Is Worth More

Than $2.25, But It Is Going Out at

64x76 size, Plain grays, Colored Borders **$1.98** This price Simply Can't Be Matched.

Our Present Low Prices Are Going Still Lower
In a Three Week's Demonstration Sale
Beginning Thursday, November 8th

We are ready to Demonstrate. We have the goods—more than ever before in our history. We have the prices—prices that are lower even than our ordinarily low prices. Now, we are going to do the business.

Look over the prices on this page. Compare them. Then come to investigate. See for yourself whether or not we are demonstrating our belief in lowering the cost of good merchandise.

Heavy Weight Outing Flannel

Was Low Priced Originally
Down it Goes Now to

It is 36 inches wide. Fine patterns. **23c** Light and Dark Colors. Buy It.

These Dress Goods Priced Low Originally
The Demonstration Sale Lowers Them Further

Coral Crepe

40 inches wide.

The Popular cloth of the season, in black seal and turquoise has been reduced to

$2.27 Yard

Crepe Granite

36 inches wide

The all wool cloth that serves so many purposes. We've pushed the price down to

$$.17 yard

HERE'S AN ALL WOOL FRENCH SERGE

40 inches wide and of fine quality. Our original low price was $2.25. Down it goes to

$1.87 yard

HERE'S A HALF WOOL STORM SERGE

that is 54 inches wide and of excellent quality. The Demonstration Sale pulls it down from the original low price to

$1.37 yard

Here's a Chance to Save Money on New Curtain Nets and Draperies

Everything Formerly Priced at $1.25 is now 97c.

All 98c Materials Have Been Cut to 93c.

The Nets and Drapes at 89c are now 83c.

All 69c Goods are Being Sold Now at 63c.

Everything Formerly Priced at 59c is now 53c.

Ladies Your Attention Please

98c will buy any one of four styles of Fine Union Suits. Get yours.

Misses Union Suits

The best garment in the store. Prices way down

2 to 6 **89c** Was 98c

8 to 16 **$1.22** Was $1.49

Boys Union Suits

The kind that keeps them warm. Rock bottom prices.

24 to 26 **79c** Was 98c

28 to 34 **98c** Was $1.25

Men! Grab This Bargain

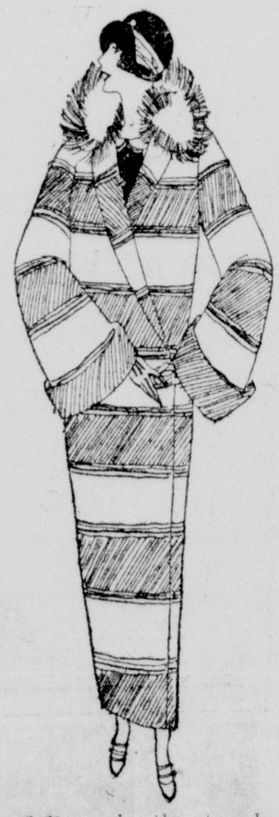
Fine ribbed and fleeced Union Suits worth $1.50 and more are now on sale at **$1.25**

Right at the Height of the Season
Ladies Coats and Dresses Are Reduced In Price

These Coats

These coats were cheap at $19.95. Now they are Demonstrators at

$17.95



Ladies Coats

Ladies' Coats that were bargains at $14.95, now are to go at

$13.45

Twill Dresses

Twill Dresses that sold regularly at the low price of $16.50 are now marked at

$14.85

Beautiful Fur

Beautiful fur collared Coats that couldn't be matched at $45.00 will also go at

$40.50

Every Ladies' Coat and Dress in the store has been reduced to Demonstration Prices. Look for those not advertised.

Silk Dresses - - A Demonstration

Group One
Values to $14.95.
$10.95

Group Two
Values to $19.95.
$13.75

SOCIETY

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Appleby entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday when their guests were Mrs. George Lucas and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reeves of Olathe, Kan., Mrs. Sam Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas, Robert Gallagher and Cloys Appleby.

Entertains at Dinner

Mrs. W. R. McKee of Pickering entertained at dinner today in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma John, and daughter, Mrs. Leslie Cobb, both of Bedford, Ia. Other guests included Mrs. Gabe Rusk of Hopkins, Mrs. Ward Gray and Mrs. Henry Swaney.

Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors will meet tomorrow afternoon in Modern Woodman Hall. The meeting will open promptly at 2 o'clock instead of 3, the usual hour, and all officers and members are requested to be present. A district officer will be in attendance at the meeting.

Circle No. 1

Circle No. 1 of the First Baptist Church met last night at the home of Mrs. Hattie Younger on East Sixth street. At the business meeting it was decided to make comforts for the Old Folks Home at Ironton. The following program was given, with Mrs. Dave Ross as leader: Lord's prayer in concert; Bible quiz; scripture lesson, Mrs. Charles Ross, scripture readings on Thanksgiving; a lesson in Thanksgiving, Neva Ross and reading, Vera Piveral. There were twelve in attendance. After the program the hostess served apples and pears and a social time was enjoyed. The next meeting will be December 4 with Mrs. J. H. Woodburn, 701 East Fourth street.

Surprise Party

Miss Opal Florea was given a surprise party Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Killion of Pickering in honor of her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in music and games and at a late hour refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Gretchen Nigh, Freida Martin, Laura Garrard, Opal Killion, Cleobelle Florea, Leta Florea and Louis Sparks, Curtis Boatwright, Randal Holton, Ernest Garrard, Ervin Shelman, and Mr. and Mrs. William Killion.

Meet at Church

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, held an all day meeting yesterday at the church. This was the week of prayer and the regular monthly meeting combined. A business meeting was held in the forenoon with Mrs. James Hiatt, president, in the chair. At 12:30 o'clock there was a delicious lunch for the members and guests of the society. In the afternoon an interesting program was given by Miss Eva Ashford, Mrs. W. T. Gray and Mrs. James Hiatt on the Laura Haygood School in Soo Chow, China, and "Christ and Ideals." A dialogue entitled "Mrs. Anderson Visits the House of Good Will" was presented by Mrs. R. M. Barry, Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and Mrs. Joe Cornell. Mrs. J. H. Thorp gave an interesting report of the district meeting at Dearborn which she attended as delegate. Anna May Holt gave some general information on the missionary question. Mrs. Gray told of a day's work at one of the Wesley houses. Several prayers were offered for the preacher, missionaries and the work they all try to accomplish. The scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Gray and she and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch were in charge of the program. The members of the society of the Wilcox Church were guests at the meeting.

Circle No. 3

Circle No. 3 of the Baptist Church Auxiliary met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. B. Woodward, with thirteen members and two visitors present. The meeting opened with prayer by the Rev. J. A. Cooper after which a short business session was held. The subject for the evening was "On the Trail of 20th Century Apostles." Mrs. Ford spoke of China as the largest mass challenge which Christianity has ever faced, using the familiar appeal, "Come Over and Help Us." Mrs. Woodward explained the functions of the central China Mission, and Miss Addie Yeo gave an interesting account of Pekin, the most walled-in city of the world, in fact four walled cities one within the other. Little Laura Gene Murdock played a piano number. Mrs. Leo Knox gave some facts concering the Union Medical College at Pekin, and Doris Walker told of Pekin University. These two institutions together with the Indemnity College of Pekin and the North China Baptist College in Shantung province, which were discussed by Mrs. J. D. England, are eventually cementing the links which connect China with the Protestant ranks in Christianity. Mrs. L. L. St. Clair, accompanied by Mrs. Woodward, sang "Callest Thou Thus, O Master," by Mietzke. Mrs. K. R. Malotte spoke on the province of Shantung, the largest "mission" of southern Baptists. Mrs. England, chairman for the evening, summed up conditions in Shantung. She spoke of the needs not only of these people but of all those who would be of service to them as well. The meeting closed with sentence prayers.

Meet at Herndon Home

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church was entertained last night at the home of Mrs. J. W. Herndon on West First street. The meeting opened with singing of "I can hear My Savior Calling," and devotions were led by Miss Emma Hull. Miss Edna O'Neal gave a review of the first chapter of the text book, "Creative Forces in Japan." Mrs. H. E. Wright told of the business transactions of the Des Moines Branch and the General Executive meetings Miss Emma Hull, who represented the Young Woman's Society at the convention, gave a partial report which will be completed at the December meeting. Miss Lucille Airy, Mrs. J. W. Hake and Mrs. B. E. Truesdell were admitted to membership. During the social hour refreshments were served by Mrs. Herndon and the assisting hostesses, Mrs. M. M. Curnutt and Mrs. A. A. Brewer. Mrs. J. E. Wallen and Mrs. L. H. Roberts were guests of the society.

Attend Huppe-Beck Wedding.

Miss Irene Tobin and Miss Marie Berg of Maryville attended the wedding of Miss Mary Huppe and Hugh Beck, both of Kansas City, which took place at 8 o'clock yesterday morning in Conception. Mr. and Mrs. Beck will be at home in Kansas City.

Lewis Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis, Jr., were hosts at a 6 o'clock dinner last evening, having for their guests Mr. and Mrs. Luther A. Richman, Miss Mary Lewis and Roy Porter.

St. Patrick's Bazaar.

The women of St. Patrick's Church who are holding their annual bazaar today and tomorrow, have decided to serve a plate lunch from 11 to 1 o'clock tomorrow. A program will be given at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening and following it lunch will be served.

For the Christmas Tree

Here are some new, homemade ornaments for the Christmas tree. They include a gay painted parakeet, with a peanut body, fastened to a wooden standard by wire. Crepe paper in bright colors, makes his crest, wings and tail. A wooden skewer, with a paper doll face fastened at one end and a sleigh bell at the other, is dressed up in strips of bright crepe paper. Mosquito netting, yarn and a paper face make the boy with stick candy in his arms and legs and small candies in his body. Colored gum drops fastened on small wire make tiny bouquets and plants.

One Man Is Killed as Train Hits Truck

Another Is Injured—Both Men Viewed Track Before Crossing—Truck Demolished.

Pleasant Hill, Mo., Nov. 7.—Although taking the precaution to view the tracks before crossing in a truck, one man was killed and another injured today when a passenger train rounded a dangerous curve and struck the truck broadsides.

The two men, knowing the danger of crossing, stopped their car, got out and viewed the track. The train swept down upon them, however, in the minute's time that it took them to get back to the car and to the crossing. Glen Marksberry of Blairstown, Mo., the driver, was killed, and Norman Urtin, who was on the truck, jumped and was slightly injured. The truck was demolished.

Union Services to Be Held Armistice Day

Will Be Held At the Tabernacle On East Third Street—H. A. Miller To Preside

All protestant churches in Maryville will have a union service on Armistice Day, Sunday November 11. The services will be held in the Tabernacle on East Third street and will start at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The following program will be given:

America—By Audience.
Prayer—The Rev. S. P. Allison.
Solo—L. A. Richman.
Address—Uel W. Lamkin.
Solo—A. J. Hamilton.
Star Spangled Banner—Audience.

H. A. Miller will preside at the meeting.

Former Faculty Member Is in Vocational Work

Frank H. Shepherd, a former member of the faculty of the State Teachers College, is now director of Vocational Guidance and Employment for the Chicago League for those hard of hearing.

Mr. Shepherd was formerly state director for Vocational Education in Oregon. He was in charge of the vocational education activities under the Smith-Hughes act.

Car Illinois Washed Nut Coal Just Arrived—

$7.00 to $7.50 per ton.

Why you should burn it in preference to other coals: No clinkers or dust—starts easy—holds fire wel by coking—most important of all, saves $1.00 to $2.00 per ton.

WM. EVERHART.

Forumettes

A lot of us should
Consider ourselves as
Lucky that we don't get
What we deserve.

The reason the average woman does not marry a perfect man is because she wants one she can improve on.

"That artist who said that all red-headed girls were bowlegged was wise," the observer of the passerby said to us the other day. "You notice he did not make that statement until after the short skirt days so we could not check up on him."

Our neighbor's little son says his mother went to a party the other night and wore everything she got for Christmas excepting the vacuum cleaner.

Uncle Abner, the town philosopher, says it may be true that misery loves company but company seldom loves misery.

A lot of people think worrying and thinking are the same thing.

"Women painted in the middle ages," says a historical note. That is nothing; they paint at all ages now.

A cynical bachelor says many a married man has gone the limit in trying to make his wife happy when in reality she wanted to be made miserable.

Louise, the stenographer, says too many of us seem to think all there is to see in other people is faults.

Flies are beginning to find their winter homes in many a residence on the electric light cords, abandoned chandeliers and the disused electric fans.

A friendly salesman at a haberdashery says that the polka dot tie is about due to come back and grace the masculine necks. These designs have come and gone long ago when the polka made them famous.

From what we read in papers today a lot of speeders seem to think their chances for heaven are better if they get killed on Sunday.

We read the other day that some scientist says the next war will be fought by radio. From the way our outfit sounds some nights it is being done right now.

Vagrant Musings

You will have to admit that the young people of today know a lot more than you did when you were their age.

Just because a girl has ugly arms is no reason she should not wear a sleeveless gown.

Some wives are discontented and others are resigned to their fate.

A gossip can stir up more trouble in a community than an epidemic.

The loudest honker in a traffic jam is always the smallest car.

Today's Vaudeville Patter

Biff—I hear Jones is a complete nervous wreck and had to go to a sanitorium.

—Bang—Yes, he tried to read everything which was printed in the newspapers and the magazines about the radio.

Evans

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Owens visited John Blackford's Sunday.

Lee White and wife were Sunday visitors at George Williams.

Neva Young spent Sunday afternoon with Ada and Wilma Plymell.

Ralph Yates and wife were shopping in Maryville Friday.

John Blackford and family spent Sunday evening at Frank Young's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCollum and Buster Bever spent Saturday evening and Sunday at Kidder Hagey's.

James Walter and family spent Sunday with Ammon Walters.

T. J. Tobin shipped hogs to St. Joseph last week.

Several of the farmers are husking corn.

Hugh O'Donnell of Conception Junction visited in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen and the latter's mother of Conception Junction attended the bazaar at St. Patrick's Church today.

HOT PLATE LUNCH

35c

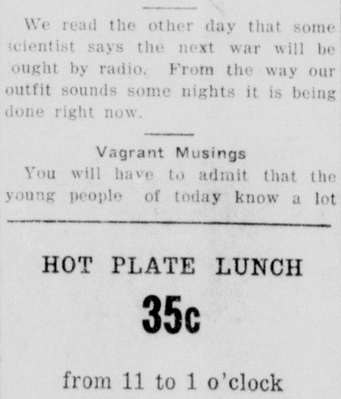
from 11 to 1 o'clock

TOMORROW

at St. Patrick's Church Bazaar.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take



BROMO QUININE Tablets begin immediately to counteract the activity of Cold, Grip and Influenza Germs and bring to a sudden stop the dangerous work of these dreaded disease germs in the human body.

BROMO QUININE Tablets quickly render these germs powerless and completely destroy their organic existence.

The Tonic and Laxative Effect of Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets is very beneficial to the system at all times.

The box bears this signature

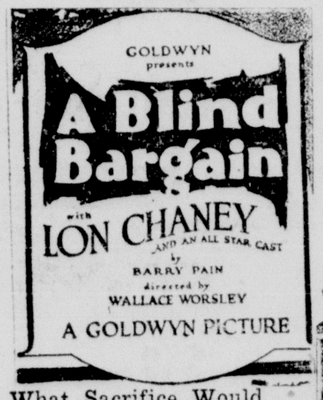
E. W. Grove

Price 30c.

EMPIRE THEATRE

TONIGHT AND THURSDAY—

10c 27c and 3c



What Sacrifice Would You Make for a Loved One?

—Is life itself too much to give, unhesitatingly, blindly!

—A young author makes a strange agreement with a mad genius of surgery. Gripping events occur in a mystery mansion.

—Don't miss this amazing picture ..play!

Yehle Dry Goods Co.

MARYVILLE'S REAL CITY STORE

Nifty New Dresses

$16.75

One of the leading dress manufacturers in New York has sent us seventy-five nifty new wool and silk dresses. They had created an over supply and made us a special consignment for one week at an exceptionally low price for the quality of dresses they represent.

The sale will continue throughout this week. Don't wait until the style and size you want is gone—Come now.

In the collection you will find velvet, canton crepe, satin, crepe de chine, wool serge, poiret twill and combined materials. Trimmings in various colors, beaded, fancy braiding, embroidered and lace trimmed. Sizes from 14 to 44.

Unusual bargain at..... $16.75

Some of these on display in show window.

Pattern Hats

$5.00

Think of buying a pattern hat at only $5.00. Yet that is exactly what you can do in our millinery section. We made a special purchase of the entire line from a prominent manufacturer and are enabled to offer an exceptional assortment at this low price. To this we have added a number of hats created in our own workroom and the collection really gives you a wonderful opportunity to save real money.

Velvet, metalic cloth and combined materials. Small, medium and large. Various shapes. Trimmings of feathers, flowers, metalic ornaments, ribbons and fancy braids.

Arranged for easy choosing at only..... $5.00

A Pair of Shoes for a Postage Stamp

Did you ever buy a pair of shoes for the price of a postage stamp? Well, that is just what you can do in our closing-out shoe sale. Merely buy a pair of shoes at the special sale price, then select another pair for only..... 2c

Garrett School District Forms Community Club

A community club was organized last night at a meeting of the patrons of the Garrett school district which was held in the schoolhouse. Nineteen persons were present at the meeting.

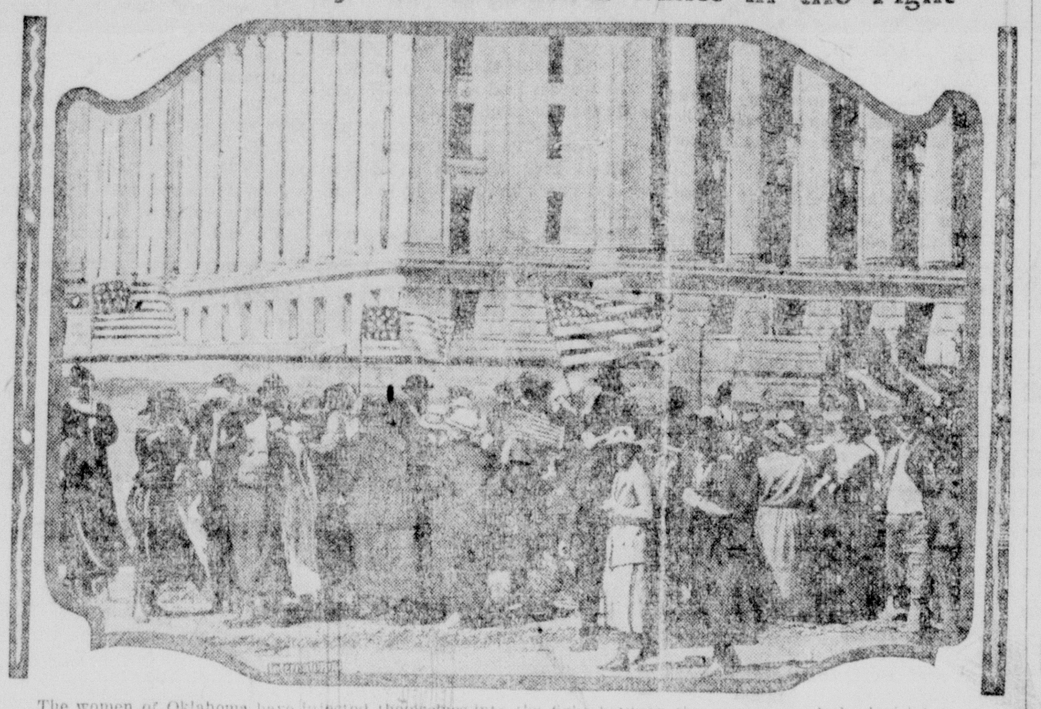
The following officers were elected: President, T. H. Thompson; vice-president, John Deardorff; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Parent.

The following committees were appointed: Entertainment and refreshment, constitution and by-laws, program, finance and special program.

The latter committee consists of the young folks of the community who are attending high school or college.

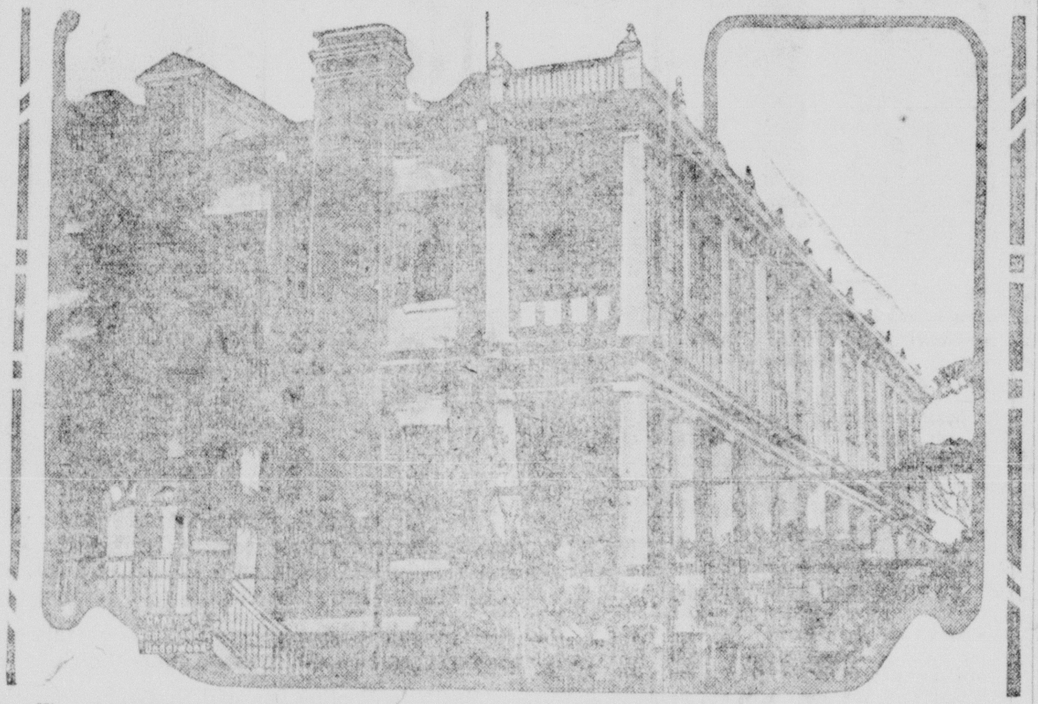
Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

"Amazon Army" of Oklahoma Mixes in the Fight



The women of Oklahoma have injected themselves into the fight between the governor and the legislature of the state. They, like the men voters, are lined up on both sides. The photograph shows a delegation of women from El Reno called the Amazon army.

Our Naval Hospital in Yokohama Laid in Ruins

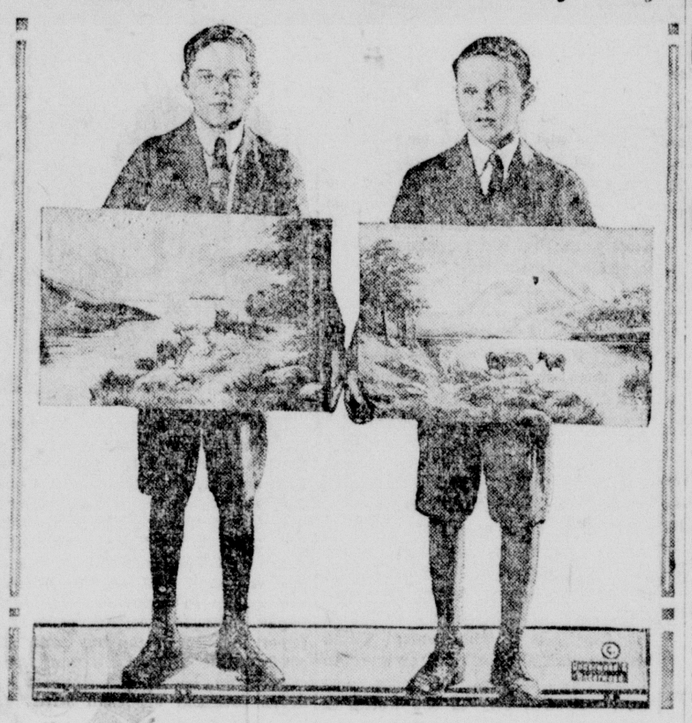


View of the United States Naval hospital in Yokohama, which was destroyed by the earthquake and conflagration. Some members of the staff were killed and others injured.

Edward Gallagher of Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor today.

H. W. Smith of Pickering was in Maryville today.

These Boys Are Twins in Every Way



Nature and environment are playing a baffling game with the family of James Clarkson of Chicago. Thirteen years ago twin boys were born to Clarkson, then living near Belfast, Ireland. Since it has been almost impossible to tell Alexander and Henry Clarkson apart, so like are they in physical characteristics. The boys turned to art and painting, and the canvases made by them are alike in execution. Alexander is left-handed. If Henry paints a stag on a mountainside or cows on the hills or the hillside facing right, Alexander paints similar subjects facing left.

BARACKMAN-WOLFE GO SLATED NOV. 15

MATCH TO DECIDE MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

PRELIMINARY ARRANGED

Bout To Be Held Over George McMurry's Garage—Both Men Training Strenuously

A wrestling match for the middleweight championship of Missouri will be staged over George McMurry's Garage on Thursday night, November 15. Mervin Hudson Barackman, who has been making his headquarters in Maryville for some time past, meets the formidable Kansas Cityan, Billy Wolfe.

Since the middle of the summer it has been a question in the minds of many wrestling fans what man has the right to officially claim the middleweight title and this match is slated to be a bonafide championship tussle. The match will be held under Police Gazette rules.

Preliminaries have been arranged before the main feature of the evening. It has been announced that Miss Victoria Stone, weight 65 pounds, will wrestle Jackie Barackman, who weighs one pound more.

Barackman, the favorite of many local fans, has been in stiff training ever since the season began and has stated that he can defeat Wolfe and bring the title to Northwest Missouri. Reports from the training headquarters of Billy Wolfe indicate that he is making a special effort to be in the best physical condition for the coming match. Wolfe is an instructor at the Kansas City Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Alfred Crater and daughter were here today from Ravenwood.

Start Narcissus Bulbs now for Holiday Blooming

A few bulbs started in a bowl of water now will have flowers by Thanksgiving and by successive replantings will continue to bloom throughout the winter. Also a good time to set out Tulip, Daffodil and Jonquil bulbs for spring blooming before the ground freezes up.

"Say It With Flowers."

ALFRED ENGELMANN, The Florist.
Phones 17. Greenhouses 1001 So. Main

KALIS LAXATIVE "FLU-CAPS" FOR COLDS, GRIP AND INFLUENZA 50¢ A BOX AT YOUR DRUGGISTS

Just Any Day Prices at Buhler's Market

Cauliflower, well trimmed, per lb	15c
Celery, per stalk	15c
Grape Fruit, 54 size, each	10c
Kraut, the good old barrel kind, per quart	10c
2 lbs Silver Nut Margarine for	45c
Large pkgs. Kamo, quick cooking oats	25c
4 lbs flaked Hominy	25c
Yorkshire Farm Brand Mince Meat in bulk, per lb	22½c
No. 3 cans Turtle Brand Hominy	15c
No. 3 can Turtle Brand Spinach for	25c
No. 2 cans Standard Corn or Tomatoes	10c
No. 1 tall cans hand packed Tomatoes	10c
No. 2½ cans Olemiss Brand Sweet Potatoes	10c
Good white Comb Honey per frame	25c
Butter Nut Coffee, the coffee delicious, per lb	45c

BACON

Swift's Premium Breakfast Bacon, 4 to 6 lbs in whole or half slab per lb	35c
Prime rib or shoulder Beef Roast, per lb	18c
Sirloin or round Steak, lb	25c
Pork Chops, per lb	25c
Fresh Hams, whole, per lb	18c
Fresh Pork Shoulders, whole, per lb	14c
Pork Steak, per lb	20c
4 lbs pig Hearts	25c
Boneless tender loin Strips, per lb	35c
1 lb cartons Brookfield Sausages	30c
Pure Pork Sausage, per lb	15c
Met Wurst, smoked Sausage, per lb	25c
1 lb bricks Chili	20c
Fresh Brains, per lb	20c

WE SELL FOR CASH.

Telephone your orders early and help us give you better service.

Buhler's

118 East Third St.

At Your Service

Hosmer's Stock Sale

GRAY'S PAVILION

Next Saturday, Nov. 10

Special No. 1—15 extra good milk cows, that have been kept for dairy purposes. Some fresh, others freshen soon.

This sale is open for the sale of YOUR live stock. What do you want to sell?

R. P. Hosmer

"THE AUCTIONEER."

IN N. U.'S FIRST CLASS

In 1855 Horace Goodrich registered at the opening of Northwestern college in Evanston, Ill., as a member of its first class. The other day, at the age of eighty-six, he registered again in memory of the old times and placed on the steps of the original building a wreath for the other nine members of his class, all now dead. He is here seen with President Walter Dill Scott of Northwestern university.

Goats and Women.

According to the ancient records of York county, preserved in the courthouse at Alfred, Me., goats and women were not allowed on the isles of Shoals. One fisherman brought his wife there, at the same time importing some goats. Lengthy legal battles were waged concerning the matter. Finally it was settled that the goats must go but the wife could stay.

Market Saturday at the Wray Hardware, by the S. S. class of the Christian Church of Wilcox. 7

Remus

MERCANTILE CO.

Another Shipment of New Dresses Received

The newest style in Poiret Twills, black and brown Velvets, satin faced Crepe, canton crepes. Colors are navy, black and brown. Pleats trim many of them, while attractive contrasting embroidery adds charm to others.

They are wonderful values at such reasonable prices.

MILD WEATHER IS A BENEFIT TO THE COAL CONSUMER.

We have several cars of coal in transit and no place to put them; so we are making a price for a few days only, in load lots, and for cash while it is on the track.

Best grade Franklin County Large Egg	$9.50
Best grade Franklin County Small Egg	$9.00
Best grade Franklin County No. 2 Nut	$8.50
Springfield Lump	$7.75
Fancy Missouri Lump	$7.25
Wyoming Lump	$10.50

All this coal is Guaranteed to be the Best.
Weighed over City Scales.

Glover & Alexander

Cox's Regular Sale Day

AT

Star Pavilion, Maryville Next Saturday, November 10

We are prepared to sell anything you have to sell. There will be 150 Stock Hogs in this sale; 50 head of Pure Bred Spotted Poland-China Shoats—good ones.

A. J. COX, Auctioneer.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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THAT BRING RESULTS

Rates—1c per word each insertion with minimum charge 25c for first insertion, minimum 12 words; six consecutive insertions, 5c per word, minimum 17 words; one month, 15c per word, minimum 17 word.

Count the words; send money with the order.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

FOR SALE—U. S. Tires and tubes, at Malam's Garage, 207 North Market. 11tf

FOR SALE—Few stock hogs, double immune, and some good calves. Glen Cooper, phone through Wilcox. 29tf

FOR SALE—16 inch Beckwith Round Oak heater in good condition. Case Furniture Exchange. 6-8

FOR SALE—Duroc Herd boar, grandson of Pathfinder, also young boar, J. L. Clayton, Farmers phone, Pickering, Mo. 3-9*

FOR SALE—Good young cow, part Jersey, giving good flow of milk. Josh Bliss, 722 East Second St. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington cockerels $1.25 each. Mrs. Alonzo Barber, Graham, Mo. 5-7*

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Red cockerels, $1.25 each until Nov. 20. Mrs. A. S. Byerrum, Pickering phone. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Extra good Majestic range, $35.00. Case Furniture Exchange. 6-8

FOR SALE—160 acres Nodaway Co. No buildings. All in corn this year. Owner will guarantee 6% rental for three years. C. D. Allen, Maryville. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Some real nice Barred Rock Cockerels. Call or see Mrs. Frank Hall, R. F. D. 5, Maryville, Mo. 6-12*

FOR SALE — jersey cow giving milk. 324 E. Lawn Ave. 6-9*

FOR SALE—Stove wood at the farm, 2 miles north of Pickering. Walter Johnson. 7tf

FOR SALE—Registered shorthorn bull, Emmett Cummins, phone 130 Orange, Burlington Junction. 7-8*

FOR SALE—Pure bred Buff Orpington Cockerels, $1.00 each. Mrs. Manning Moore, Ravenwood. 6-8*

FOR SALE—One boy's overcoat size 12; 2 misses' coats sizes 16 and 18. Call Hanamo 5288. 6-8

FOR SALE—Howard heating stove, burns either wood or coal. Case Furniture Exchange. 6-8

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—$10.00 bill between 322, E. 7th and 709 E. 4th. Return to 322 E. 7th, receive reward. 7*

Tops, upholstering, side curtains, door opening curtains, for all cars. satisfaction guaranteed. Farmers Auto Supply Co. O18-N17

READ Mr. Faist's article in the November American. 2-8

WANTED—Roomers and boarders, modern house, close to College. 710 N. Walnut. Mrs. Anna V. Beattie, Farmers 293-12. 2-8*

LOST—Blue rocking chair from porch on Hallowe'en night. Finder please return to 504 South Main St. Reward. 5-7

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping 504 North Buchanan street. 5-7

LOST—license plate No. 413-048. Return to Democrat-Forum. 6-8

WANTED—Two men want steady jobs on farm, 722 East Jenkins. 6-8*

LOST—Lens and rim Dodge car; also man's sheep-lined duck coat near Bridgewater four weeks ago. Notify Democrat-Forum. 6-7

LOST—a heavy brown kid glove on Main street or in Court House Thursday night. Finder leave at this office 7*

FOR RENT—Furnished modern suite of rooms on ground floor. Mrs. J. S. Caldwell, 515 N. Fillmore. 7-9*

WANTED—Salesman with car familiar with farm trade; experience unnecessary. Write G. T. Duke, Mound City, Mo. 7-15*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Nov. 7—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 31,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 14,000.

St. Louis, Nov. 7—CATTLE—Receipts, 7,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500.

Kansas City, Nov. 7—CATTLE—Receipts, 13,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 20,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000.

St. Joseph, Nov. 7—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000; top, $10.00.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; top, $7.60.
SHEEP—Receipts, 4,500; top $12.60
Cattle strong; hogs, 5 cents lower.

Todays Market

Springs per lb.	11 to 14c
Ducks per lb.	14c
Geese per lb.	14c
Turkeys per lb.	30c
Eggs per dozen	41c
Cream, per lb.	44c
Hens per lb.	13 to 16c
Cox per lb.	6c
Hides per lb.	4c

Independence Notes

Every one was present every day of last week which was a good beginning for our new quarter.

Our hot lunches were started last week. We plan on having one hot dish each day. This will consist of cocoa and various vegetable soups most of the time. This is greatly enjoyed by all.

Katherine Lee Gray one of our primary children departed from our school Tuesday evening of last week and enrolled in the Hickory Grove School Wednesday morning. We wish her the best of success in her new school.

Russell Wallace spent Wednesday night of last week with Adrain and Laverne Reynolds.

Report cards were given the first of the week. These are a different and much better report card from what your child has been bringing home, so we ask the parents to give it the closest attention.

"How many times did you see your child at work in school last quarter? Are you going to beat your record this quarter?"

Deloris Gray spent Halloween night with Mildred Simpson.

Mrs. Stanford Pence and daughter, Helen, visited school Friday evening.

Mr. L. G. Somerville, county superintendent visited our school Monday.

Quite a number from this district attended the Halloween party at Prairie View. Adrain Reynolds taking the prize for the most comical.

Raut Holmes of Hopkins spent Saturday night with Russell Holmes.

Milton Donnel visited school Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. street and grandson, Beverly Dale Street, returned last night from a week's visit in Navarre, Kan., with Mrs. Street's son, Herman Street and family.

A reformer says every kiss brings you nearer the grave. If that is true most people have little fear of death.

LOST—White marquisette curtains, with blue figures, somewhere in town on October 27. Return to Democrat Forum. 7-8

HAVE a client wanting $4,000, good security, good rate of interest. See Holmes & Welfert. 7*

If Back Hurts Flush Kidneys

Drink Plenty of Water and Take Glass of Salts Before Breakfast Occasionally

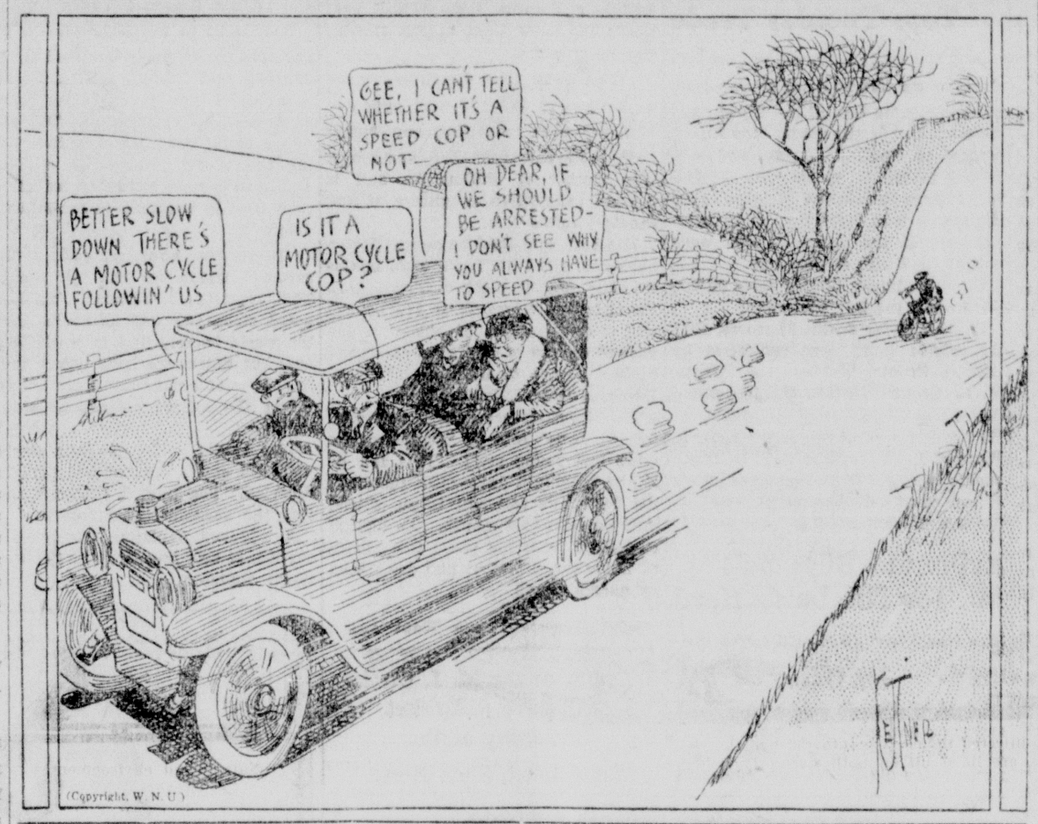
When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which helps to remove the body's urinous waste and stimulate them to their normal activity.

The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of good water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the system so they are no longer a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts in inexpensive; can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this; also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

Along the Concrete


BETTER SLOW DOWN THERE'S A MOTOR CYCLE FOLLOWIN' US
IS IT A MOTOR CYCLE COP?
GEE, I CAN'T TELL WHETHER IT'S A SPEED COP OR NOT-
OH DEAR, IF WE SHOULD BE ARRESTED- I DON'T SEE WHY YOU ALWAYS HAVE TO SPEED
(Copyright, W. N. U.)

Harmony

Church Notes.

Two good sermons characterized the morning of the Sabbath. The Sunday school unusually well attended and the interest was excellent. The preaching hour was taken up with a Rally and Promotion Day program. More than a dozen received certificates of promotion in various departments. The program was extremely well rendered and was thoroughly enjoyed by an audience that filled the church. It consisted of songs, recitations and exercises. Great credit must be given the committee for their faithful work of preparation.

At the Sunday evening hour our Junior C. E. was organized with Mrs. Estella Porter in charge.

The cement step at the rear pulpit entrance are an accomplished fact. A number of the men of the church met Wednesday and put them in as well as fixing up the basement steps. The ladies met the same day in their organization. Refreshments were served at the noon hour. The steps are a much needed improvement.

The special offering for S. S. work at the morning hour amounted to almost $10.

Arrangements have been made for our congregation to attend the evangelistic services at Maryville next Thursday evening in a body. It is hoped that we may have a large representation.

M. L. Strader and wife of Maryville were Sunday morning attendants at church services.

School Notes.

A large number watched the ball game Friday afternoon at this place between the Ravenwood quintet and our basketball boys. Ravenwood won the game by a safe margin. Marvin Rhodes acted as referee. Our last conference game will be played at Conception next Friday.

Grade cards for first quarter examinations will be given out Friday of this week.

R. V. McKee put up the pole on the chool house the last of the week and "Old Glory" now flies during school hours.

Now for volley ball.

Our English room is now equipped with a new blackboard. Mrs. Ford's classes greatly appreciate it.

Miss Vera Brown, one of our seniors who has been out of school for a couple of weeks with appendicitis, is now some and expects to be back in classes next week.

Some of our boys were in Maryville Monday securing the lights for our stage on which we gave "Fun in a Chinese Laundry."

Cleta Null was unable to attend school all day Monday on account of illness.

A neat new clothes rack for the girls work is a recent improvement in the high school basement.

The school board held a well attended meeting Monday night. Routine business occupied most of the time of the meeting.

Personals.

Bluford Heflin came down from Creston, where he is employed in the Burlington shops, last week and visited home folks over Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Lewis returned to Creston last week after a short visit among relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Null drove to Barnard last Friday to attend the funeral of an aunt of Mrs. Null's.

Guilford McKee and family and Mrs. R. L. Adams were shopping in Maryville last Saturday.

R. V. McKee is erecting a roomy stock shed for winter use.

Quite a number attended the public sale of Guilford McKee's last Friday.

Miss Velma Lawson visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Vilas Porter.

Save Money

Drive down often and let us test your battery.

Cold Waves

Are Coming—Don't Let Your Battery Freeze.
Ask Us About It.
We will call and get your battery and return it.
8 to 24 Hours Charging Service.

FISHER'S BATTERY STATION
719 East Fourth St.

AT AUCTION

350 Head of Angus Cattle 350

BURLINGTON STOCK YARDS

Maryville, Friday, November 9

Sale starts at 1:30 prompt.

These cattle are all direct from Texas, and consist of 75 head of yearling and 2-year-old steers; 25 head of calves; 52 head of cows with calves at foot; 200 head of cows and heifers.

These will be sold in lots to suit purchaser. Cash or 3 to 6 months time on a bankable note.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

Sherlock and Fogan

Parnell

Willing Workers

Maryville business visitors Monday were Mrs. James LaFavor, Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. James Barber and Andrew Seyster.

Mrs. Inez Cummins and Miss Veronica Hall were Conception visitors Sunday.

Ravenwood boys and girls basketball teams came and played the boys and girls here Tuesday. The score for the boys was 18 to 30 in favor of Ravenwood; for the girls 2 to 23 in favor of Parnell.

Dr. H. Day was a St. Joseph business visitor Sunday.

Miss Hazel Herndon visited Monday night with Mrs. Delia Herndon and daughter, Miss Ethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Estherkyn and Ira Esterkyn of Worth, were Sunday guests of J. A. Kaufman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Anderson of Maryville visited at the Dr. H. Day home Sunday.

A. F. Hall and son, Cecil, were Maryville visitors Tuesday.

B. A. Jones loaded out a car of his horses Sunday for New Orleans, where they will be entered in the races.

Miss Thelma Kermitt, who is attending S. T. C. visited over Sunday with Miss Veda Ransom.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arnold and Mrs. Prather visited several days this week with friends in Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doty of Brownville, Nebr., visited over Sunday with Mrs. Doty's sister, Mrs. Ballard Adams and Mr. Adams.

H. E. Nigh was a business visitor in Maryville Tuesday.

Mrs. L. M. Kibler was in St. Joseph Saturday.

Miss Margaret Gaynor visited in Ravenwood Thursday and Friday.

Theo. Ingram and daughters, Opal and Rachael, visited in Kansas City Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. Coffmann, Misses Rosetta Klaas and Mildred Hall and Donald and Junior Miller visited in Hopkins Sunday.

Mrs. Louisa Klaas and Mrs. Joe Berg were St. Joseph visitors Sunday.

Orley Miller attended the football game at Maryville Friday.

Miss Marie Berg of Maryville and Miss Lena Foland attended a wedding at Conception Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Auer are the parents of a baby daughter, who has been christened Elizabeth Marie.

Wilcox News, District 87

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Luke and children were visiting at the John Neal home Sunday.

John Neal went to Ravenwood Monday.

A week ago the Wilcox School enjoyed a field trip in Mr. Jackson's timber.

The C class have been making several posters this week.

We expect to start our hot lunches soon. Only one hot dish a day will be served regularly.

Mrs. Henry Meyer was shopping in Maryville Thursday.

Frowin Guenther motored to Conception Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyer and children were visitors at the Pete Peterson home Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Meyer was shopping in Parnell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Smith and daughter of Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Goodin and daughters, Maxine and Loretta and Fred Breit and son, Allen all of Parnell were Sunday dinner guests of W. T. Jackson and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyer were visitors of Mrs. Guenther Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ault and family were visiting Wm. Ault of Ravenwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ault, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Powell and daughter, were visiting at the Elmer Ault home Sunday.

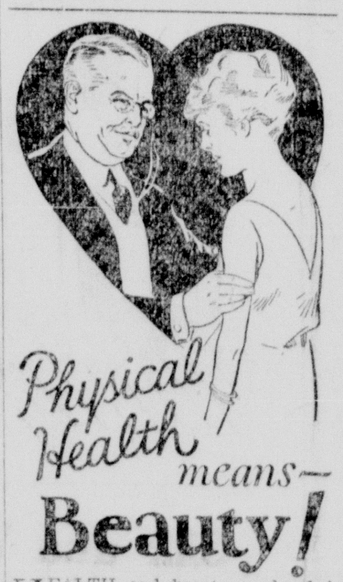
Our teacher, Miss Gracie Cooper was ill Friday and Mrs. Doyle King taught in her place.

We enjoyed a pleasant afternoon Wednesday in celebration of Hallowe'en.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle King spent Sunday with her brother, Cecil Lawson and wife.

Sunday dinner guests in the Delbert Rhodes home were Mr. D. F. Slagle and wife.

Bryan may understand the theory of evolution well enough to try to disprove it and may be able to show monkeys did not make men of themselves but he will have a hard time showing that some men don't make monkeys of themselves.



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Beauty!

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Friday, November 9

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Nov. 9.

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Mrs. Margie Morris, teacher.

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Friday evening, November 9

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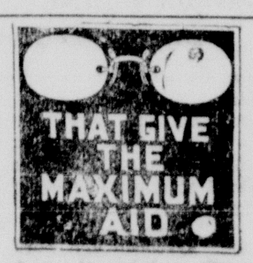

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HYDE WON'T RUSH ROAD SESSION

GOVERNOR WANTS COMMITTEES TO CONSIDER PLANS FIRST

FOR CONCRETE PROGRAM

Governor Would Call Legislature After Program For Highways Work Has Been Prepared

Jefferson, City, Nov. 7—Governor Hyde for the present will not issue a proclamation convening the legislature in special session to consider speeding up highway improvements in Missouri, he said in a statement yesterday.

Before calling the legislature, the governor suggests the roads and highways committees of the senate and house obtain a poll of the members indicating what legislation in their opinion would be wise to enact. He has asked the members of the two committees to meet with him here November 12.

The governor's statement, in part, follows:

"A movement has been inaugurated looking toward a special session of the legislature to enact necessary measures to speed up road work.

"A meeting was held October 22, attended by a representation from both house and senate as well as by representatives of different commercial and motor car associations. At that meeting the following resolution was passed:

Meeting Urged a Session

"'That we heartily indorse the proposition to speed up the state highway construction program as suggested by the state highway commission; that we do not recommend any particular method of raising the necessary funds for that purpose; but we pledge our support to any reasonable means of raising such funds from the motor vehicle users.

"'That we urge the governor to call a special session of the general assembly for the sole purpose of passing necessary road legislation, and will endeavor to secure the indorsement of our own organizations and other organizations to the support of this program.'

"That meeting refused to make a recommendation of any specific plans being satisfied with 'any reasonable means of raising said funds from the motor vehicle users.' The decision as to what particular plan should be adopted wisely was left to the legislature.

Hyde Favors Sane Policy

"A special session ought not to be called. If such a session should fail to agree upon a constructive program, there would exist a reasonable certainty that the session would delay the road program. Common prudence demands that some unanimity of opinion upon some definite method of raising the fund should exist.

"Consideration of the various plans and decisions regarding them might just as well be made by the individual members of the legislature before, as during a session. That decision must in the first instance be made by the roads and highways committees of the two houses. It is their province to recommend a definite measure to their respective bodies. A poll of opinion within the legislature could be made by them just as well before, as after the session is called.

"The session, if called, should be short. The revenues of the state have been over-appropriated by more than 3 million dollars. This amount has been held up by agreement with the boards to which it was appropriated. If none of the over-appropriations is released, the general revenue fund will have scant margin over the absolutely necessary expenditures. Any session would be expensive."

Elevator Destroyed; Damage Is $150,000

Seneca, Mo., Nov. 7—An elevator building, belonging to the Mace Mercantile Co. here was destroyed by fire today, the origin of which has been undetermined. The damage is estimated at $150,000 of which $50,000 is covered by insurance.

Judgment Suit Filed

A suit on judgment was filed yesterday by Swift & Co., a corporation against Grant Melick in office of the clerk of the Circuit Court.

NOTICE!

MEMBERS OF BATTERY C

are to be at Armory

at 1:30 Sunday

afternoon. Full uniform.

K. P. Phares, Captain.

15 "Hit the Trail" at Tabernacle Meeting

Harmony Community Expects To Attend In Body Thursday Night—25 Baptized Last Night

The best service, with the largest attendance and the largest response to the invitations, of any week night service thus far, was held at the tabernacle meeting last night. There were fifteen who "hit the trail" during the invitations, making ninety-one who have been reached through the tabernacle services in nine invitation days. Practically every church in the county was repreesnted in the service.

The Harmony community has phoned in word to the Reverend Mr. Snodgrass that they are expecting to attend the meeting in a body on Thursday night. They are expecting from seventy-five to 100 in the delegation. Thursday will also be delegation night for Hopkins, Pickering, Gaynor and Bedison. The Ravenwood, Guilford and Arkoe communities are to send in special delegations tonight.

There were about twenty-five baptized at the service last night. There will be baptizing promptly at 7:15 o'clock tonight, before the regular service begins at 7:30. Everybody is invited to come early in time for the baptismal services. There will likely be baptizing most every night.

Arthur Hamilton announced last night that on Sunday night that there will be a special quartette number, singing a new arrangement of "Crossing the Bar." This musical composition is the work of the Rev. R. L. McCanon of Hopkins, and this will be the first use of it since its publication.

Splendid reports were given last night of the services that were held by the workers all over the county on Monday night. Seventeen services were held by the evangelists, pastors and gospel teams from the churches. There were two confessions reported at Palestine service. It is the plan to hold these Monday night services over the county regularly during the tabernacle meetings. Following the tabernacle meetings, short revival meetings will be held in all the churches.

Nodaway "Ton Litter" Tops Tuesday Trade

Milt Hays of Skidmore, Mo., sold on Tuesday market at litter of nine pigs, at the extreme top, $7.10. These pigs were entered in the recent "ton litter" contest in Nodaway county and won second prize. They were of the Duroc Jersey breed and weighed over the scales here 2,330 lbs., or an average of 258 lbs. each. They were bought by Swift & Company.

Other Nodaway County sales on the St. Joseph market yesterday:

P. W. Shaffer & Co., 22 steers, 1331 lbs., $9.75; hogs were consigned by Dick G. Brooks, Kuntzman & Founts, M. E. Medsker, Clark & McGinness, Bagby & Idding, H. J. O'Donald, P. W. Shaffer & Co., W. J. Breit, H. S. Warren, B. F. Tompkins, T. D. Hornbuckle while C. G. Bowman consigned a car load of sheep.—St. Joseph Stockyards Journal.

McDonald Buys Bull for His Dairy Herd

Now Has About 40 Head Of Jerseys—Starts Official Milking Tests This Month

H. D. McDonald, who lives near Quitman, has made a fine addition to his dairy herd. He recently bought a 15-months old Jersey bull from Earl O'Thomas of St. Joseph. The mother of this bull is Marmaid's Betty, a gold medal cow that has a record of 857 pounds of butter a year at the age of eleven years.

She is highest record daughter of Sultana's Virginia Lad, a bull that heads the dairy herd at the University of Missouri.

The first five daughters made an average of 76.8 per cent milk and 86.3 per cent more fat and butter than their dams at the same age. The mother of McDonald's bull is best of twenty-five daughters of Sultana's Virginia Lad.

His herd bull that he recently purchased is sired by You'll Do's Favorite Lad whose mother You'll Do's Favorite has a record of 946 pounds and thirteen ounces of butter in one year at the age of 4. This was second highest record of Gold Medal's sire, Imported Oxford You'll Do.

Mr. McDonald has a herd now comprising forty Jerseys, including the cows and young stuff. This fall he began keeping a daily milk record of his best cows and will begin official milking tests this month. An official tester will visit his place this month to make the first test and from then on once a month.

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Ladies of the M. I. Circle will have a Market Saturday at the Montgomery Shoe Store.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

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LAST TIME TONIGHT—Doris May in "TEA WITH A KICK." Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 33c.

Thursday, Nov. 8, one day only—Houdini, world famous Handcuff King, with Gladys Leslie and all star cast in "HALDANE OF THE SECRET SERVICE." A tense drama of the underworld and the upper world with a plot ingenious as it is exciting. Matinee 3:00—10c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Friday, November 9—Florence Vidor in "A REAL ADVENTURE."

Armistice Day Program Given at College Today

H. A. Foster Gave Address On "Our Debt"—Subscriptions For Athletic Blankets Taken

"Our debt to the boys who fought and died for an American ideal is still unpaid," said Professor H. A. Foster, speaking at the College assembly in an Armistice Day program. "We still owe a moral debt to the soldiers during the World war and because American people have devoted all of their time to business we are still the debtor."

"There are, however, certain obligations which we can not escape. The obligation of religion. We have noted since the war an evolution in the world society and in world business but unless we keep before them the ideals of humanity we are not fulfilling the sacred obligations which we owe."

The Armistice day program started with the entire student body singing America. The Rev. C. C. James then lead the assembly in invocation.

A tableaux depicting the spirit of the Khaki was presented by the vocational students.

Following Professor Foster's speech the meeting closed with community singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Preceding the program, subscriptions were taken toward the raising of a fund to provide the football men with athletic blankets. Twenty-two Blankets were pledged by the different organizations and members of the faculty. The blankets will be green with a large white "M" in the center. They will be used for the first time in the Maryville-Westminster game which is to be played on the local gridiron on November 16.

Affirmative Team Wins 3rd Debate at M. H. S.

First District Debate Will Be Held With Harmony School on December 14.

In the try-outs of the debaters at the High School yesterday and today the affirmative side won the third debate. Out of the three debates given the team which upheld the negative side of the debate is the first negative team to receive a vote as the other two debates were won by an unanimous vote of the judges for the affirmative side.

The affirmative speakers in the third debate are: Burdette Yeo and Esther Roseberry. Edwyna Forsyth and Jesse Michaelson were their opponents.

It is the decision of those in charge of the debating squad at the High school that the following girls have possibilities to develop into excellent debaters: Kathryn Keplar, Esther Roseberry, Edwyna Forsyth and Laura Margaret Raines. A first and second team will be chosen.

The first district debate will be held December 14 with the Harmony School.

Christian Church Prayer Meetings

The ward prayer meetings of the Christian Church will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the following homes:

First Ward—Mrs. W. L. Johnson, 521 East Fifth street.

Second Ward—Miss Ada Hawkins, 321 West Seventh street.

Third Ward—Mrs. Fred Miller, 404 West First street.

Fourth Ward—Mrs. William Armstrong, 404 East First street.

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Maysville High School vs. Maryville High School

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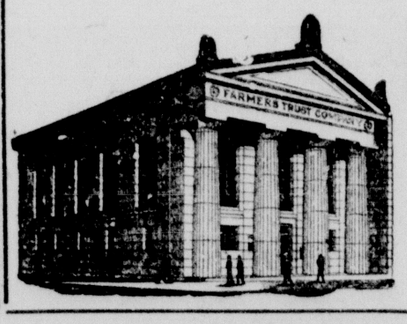
We are always concerned with all that has to do with the progress and happiness of this community, with business big and little.

We shall be glad at any time to discuss with you personally how an account here helps the business concern or the individual to more rapid and permanent progress in financial matters.



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